

OVERALL EVALUATION PROCEDURES

The Graduation Project Evaluation is composed of two parts- a written and an oral component. The Evaluation Panel will evaluate both the Graduation Project process and the final product.

The following sheets are samples of the grading rubrics used to determine the Graduation Project Final Evaluation. The type of project chosen determines the form that will be used. Notice that all projects require a written and an oral/demonstration/service form to be completed.

The Graduation Project Evaluation Panel is composed of three teachers or administrators, and the student is required to sign up for a presentation time in advance.

If a student receives a NOT YET SUCCESSFUL evaluation, he/she will be notified by the Graduation Project Evaluation Panel. The student will also meet with the Graduation Project Coordinator to determine the steps needed to improve the project, as well as to schedule a new presentation date.

Graduation Projects must be completed by the **end of the 1st semester of the junior year**. **Students not completing the project by this time will lose driving privileges as well as early dismissal/late arrival privileges.**

The Graduation Project is required by both the Parkland School District and the Pa. State Department of Education. **Seniors will receive letters from the principal following the 1st semester to indicate the danger of not fulfilling the graduation requirement.**

and salutatorian. Instead, the top 2 – 3% of the graduating class will be acknowledged during Commencement.

GRADING SYSTEM (Class of 2013 & Beyond)

Beginning with the Class of 2013, a three-tiered grading system will be implemented.
The new system awards students for taking the most rigorous courses. Shown below is the three-tiered quality point system that will go into effect for students in the Class of 2013.

Three-Tiered Quality Point System (Class of 2013 & Beyond)

GRADE	NUMERIC RANGE	STANDARD GRADE POINTS	HONORS GRADE POINTS	AP GRADE POINTS
A+	97 - 100	4.0	4.50	5.00
A	93 - 96	4.0	4.50	5.00
A-	90 - 92	3.67	4.17	4.67
B+	87 - 89	3.33	3.83	4.33
B	83 - 86	3.00	3.50	4.00
B-	80 - 82	2.67	3.17	3.67
C+	77 - 79	2.33	2.83	3.33
C	73 - 76	2.00	2.50	3.00
C-	70 - 72	1.67	2.17	2.67
D	60 - 69	1.00	1.00	1.00
F	0 - 59	0.00	0.00	0.00

Students can learn more about the grading system through their guidance counselors.

HONOR ROLL

The Honor Roll will be published at the end of each quarterly marking period. This listing is made up of names of those students who achieve a quality-point average of 3.25 or higher, identifying them according to the following groupings:

Distinguished Principal's List 4.00 +
No grade < 80
No Incompletes

High Honors: 3.75 – 3.99+
No grade < 70
No Incompletes

Honors: 3.25 – 3.74
No grade < 70
No Incompletes